

## BG Acts In Bldgs.

BELLE GLADE — Condemnation proceedings against some three dozen buildings involving 348 rooms in Belle Glade colored town were authorized by City Commission at its regular Wednesday night meeting.

City Inspector N. B. Willis was given the "go ahead" against property owners involved, some of whose properties have been condemned cases for three to five years.

Willis reported that although the total represents some 7% of all Negro rental property in Belle Glade, the 348 rooms involved are partly offset by 100 new rooms constructed within the past few months, and condemnation should not work too great a hardship at this time of year.

Vice Mayor H. O. Carlton presided at the meeting in the absence of Mayor Harold Robinson.

### 3-Way Bills May 1

Commissioners authorized the start of simultaneous billing for garbage and trash collection and water service to begin May 1. Those who have already paid in advance on their quarterly garbage collection will be credited until the payment is due. After May 1, all three city services will be billed monthly.

In a revision of the same ordinance, the Commission okayed (Continued On Page 8)

## 8th Consecutive "Superior"

PAHOKEE — The Pahokee high school band made first division or superior rating for the eighth consecutive year, in the annual district contest of Florida high school bands held Tuesday morning at the school auditorium.

The band, directed by Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi, won superior rating in all phases of the contest, concert, sight reading and marching. Carol Carpenter also won superior or first division in student conducting. There were 48 students in the band contest. The band is now eligible to compete in the state band contest to be held in Tampa May 6-8.

Judges for the event were Manley Whitcomb, director of bands of Florida State University, Tallahassee; Reid Poole, assistant director of bands at University of Florida, Gainesville, and Claude Hulick, director of Lee high school band of Jacksonville.

Last Thursday afternoon soloists won first or superior rating as follows: twirling, Judy Starling, Nancy Thomas, and Cindy Friend; cornet, John Williams and Fred Blakey; trombone, Neely Johnson and Frances Wilson; alto saxophone, Val Gabaldon; snare drum, Chuck Elliott; saxophone quartet, Bonnie Miller, Val Gabaldon, Gladys Russon and Donna Lee Upthegrove. E. L. Roberts, director of bands at St. Petersburg high school, judged the solos.

This is the 14th year the band has been directed under the direction of Bandmaster Lampi.

## CAMERA REPORT:



A 24-POUND TURNIP grown by W. H. Jones, Jr. of Pahokee looks even better when set off by Buttons McKinstry, left, and Katie Cross, the right.

POLAROID ONE-MINUTE PHOTO BY ALLIE OKIE

## ZONING, PLANNING DISCUSSIONS SET FOR TONIGHT, MONDAY TOO

PAHOKEE — Two special meetings to try to make some sense out of the city's conflicting and erratic zoning ordinances will be held here tonight and Monday by City Council.

Tonight, Council and a group of Negro property owners will meet at East Lake elementary school to discuss whether the now stringent fire-zoning in colored town is hampering building.

Monday night at City Hall, Council has called the Zoning Board, Planning Board, and Zoning Board of Appeals to be present, to take up specifically the question of fire zoning, and generally the problem of getting Pahokee's zoning and building ordinances in comprehensible shape.

The whole zoning problem, which Tuesday night brought from Council President James that an entire restudy and revision is needed, came up, this time because of the proposal for two buildings by Dr. L. W. Armstrong.

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Only 47 per cent went to slaughter. Next week, Bryant E. Pearce of Ft. Myers will display some of his registered Charbray cattle at the market. Two or three yearlings will be for sale, Young said.

The complete report of Monday's sale follows:

672 cattle, \$48,120.11  
369 steers, 80 heifers, 53 calves, 132 cows, 8 bulls, 30 yearlings.

**SLAUGHTER**  
STEERS: Coml. 16.75-19.25, Uty. 13.75-16.25, Cut. 10.00-13.75, Can. 5.00-8.50.

HEIFERS: Coml. 17.00, Uty. 13.00-15.00, Cut. 10.00-12.50, Can. 5.00-10.00.

CALVES: Good 16.50 - 21.00, Coml. 13.75-16.50, Uty. 11.25-13.75, Cut. 9.00-10.75.

COWS: Coml. 15.25, Uty. 12.00-14.75, Cut. 9.25-11.50, Can. 6.75-9.50.

BULLS: Can. 11.50.

**STOCKER**  
STEERS: 9.00-15.20, Bulk 13.50-14.50.

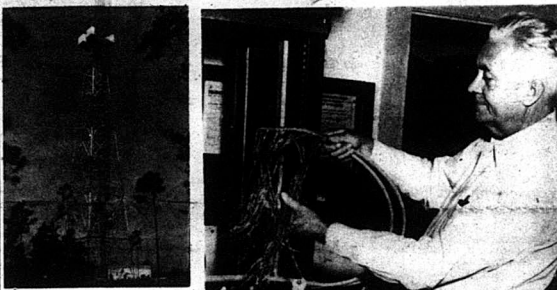
HEIFERS: 6.50-13.00.

CALVES: 7.90-10.00.

**PAHOKEE** — Everglades Memorial Hospital auxiliary will meet tonight at 7:30 to hear the results of the membership drive. Mrs. Frank Friend, president, will preside.



EVEN THE FANCY new dial system doesn't eliminate these "hello girls," part of the force of 25 long distance operators employed in Belle Glade - Pahokee area office of the telephone company. This group is hard at work on Saturday afternoon.



## PBCC Assn. Meet Tonight

PAHOKEE — Dr. Marvin Koger, of the University of Florida staff, will speak at a meeting of the Palm Beach County Cattlemen's Association, at 7:45 p.m. today at Loxahatchee packing house, according to H. L. Speer, association secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Koger, who is in charge of animal breeding, teaching and research work in the department of animal husbandry at the university, will speak on "Factors in the Breeding and Production of Beef Cattle." He will also touch on the economic situation, with respect to livestock production.

Dr. Koger came to the University of Florida three years ago from New Mexico A. & M., where he was a staff member for eight years. A native of New Mexico, he received his B.S. at New Mexico A. & M., and his Ph.D. at the University of Missouri.

**PAHOKEE** — A profit of approximately \$200 on the plant sale last week of the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club was reported by Mrs. Leo Maxwell, finance chairman.

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## Glades Telephone Operations Growing With PB County

There are now 2,888 telephones in operation in this part of the Glades, and their installation, maintenance, and switchboard service represents an investment of \$1,223,807, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. District Manager E. F. Reddy said this week.

Executive Secretary Edwina Young said new members since the first report two weeks ago are Lloyd Aspy, Buford Prescott, Rotary Club, Southern Distributors, Florida East Coast Railway, G. D. Kirkland, Carlton Courts, Rictu Motel, Belle Glade Trailer Park, Dr. Thomas Forsee, Southern Bell Telephone Brooks Spann, Mathew Purpure, John Howard Carr, and one "anonymous."

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## Friend to Repeat

PAHOKEE — Mayor Lewis Friend today announced he will run for re-election in the May 4 primary.

His platform, he said, will be "Much Accomplished, More To Be Done" - - - and he will leave it up to the voters to decide whether they wish to continue the progress made in Pahokee during his administration.

Mayor Friend said that he would discuss the accomplishments of his two terms of office - - 1950-52 and 1952-54 - - within the next couple of weeks.

The mayor, who has been a farmer and rancher in the Glades since 1932, was born in Lamar, Col. in 1913. He came with his parents to Florida at the age of one year, and to Pahokee when he was four years old. He is a graduate of Pahokee high school.

Mayor Friend is married to the former Miss Gethie Smith. They have three daughters, Kay, 16, Cindy, 12, and Merrie Ann, 3.

Pahokee's chief executive is a member of First Methodist Church, the Lions, and the Elks.

## NEW BUILDING DEDICATION

BELLE GLADE — Dedication of the new Chamber of Commerce building followed in the evening by the C's annual Glades-grown Dinner and membership meeting has been tentatively scheduled for Thursday, Apr. 28.

Mrs. Mary Fay has been appointed chairman of the annual dinner and meeting. President George Wedgworth announced this week.

Harold Colee, vice president and general manager of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce, has been invited to be principal speaker of the day.

The dedication is planned for 3:30 p.m., and the dinner for 7:30 p.m. at Belle Glade Country Club.

## Mayor Fisher Johns Worker

SOUTH BAY — Mayor S. J. Fisher has been appointed chairman of the South Bay committee to elect a new Governor campaign, according to Lloyd Clemmer, county committee chairman.

Fisher, a native of Rome City, Indiana, was educated at Grand Rapids, Michigan and came to Florida in 1906. He settled first in the Little River area where he engaged in farming for 10 years. Having acquired property at South Bay four years earlier, Fisher moved to South Bay in 1919, undertook farming for a short time, then engaged in operation of the trailer park and house rental business.

He is a member of the Methodist Church and the South Bay Lions Club. For many years he has been councilman at South Bay and is presently serving as mayor.

## TWO MORE DEAD IN ROAD CRASH

BEAN CITY — Two more Glades accident victims, who died near here when their fast-traveling car hit a tree, were buried this week.

Funeral services for Wade Raymond Driggers, 26, of West Palm Beach, were held Wednesday. The body of George H. McDaniel, 21, was sent to Columbus, Ga. for services.

Mrs. Driggers' funeral was held at Mizell-Simon-Faville Chapel at West Palm Beach, with Rev. Luzene Lamerson, pastor of Westside Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was at Pompano Cemetery.

The two men met instant death early Saturday morning when their automobile failed to make a curve and skidded on the wet road into a tree on SR 80. They had been living at the home of Mrs. Zelma Betzner, Belle Glade, while doing some installation work for the telephone company. Both were Western Electric employes.

of the Peace Joe Cherry reported that their car wrapped around the tree, and it was an hour before the bodies could be extricated.

## BELLE GLADE BAND 'EXCELLENT'

BELLE GLADE — The Belle Glade high school band got excellent ratings on all three contests held in the high school auditorium Tuesday under the direction of Band Leader Jack Munroe.

The contest is divided into three separate parts: concert, sight reading, and marching. The concert requires the band to play three pieces. In the sight reading contest the band must play music they have never seen before.

Suzanne Forsee and Winifred Barry got excellent ratings in the student conducting division. In the contest held last week seven members of the band did solo numbers, and all got a superior rating. They were: Mary Claire Crider, twirler; Suzanne Forsee, alto saxophone; Frank Campbell, trombone; Billy Tom Forsee, trombone; Barbara Jean Willets, oboe; Laurine Anderson, clarinet; Nedra Mikovsky, clarinet.

**HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS**  
March 31 is the last day Glades residents can file for homestead exemptions for 1954.

## 'GEORGE WASHINGTON...' REHEARSED HERE—FOR TONIGHT, SAT.



HERE'S THE BELLE GLADE "George Washington Slept Here." The senior play to be presented tonight and tomorrow night at 8:15 at the high school. Rehearsal scenes shifted so fast Photographer Allie Okie couldn't keep up with the left-to-rights, but clearly identifiable in the picture are Director

Barbara Starke, Ervin McTaggart, Eugene Pope, Montine Good-Hill, Joanne Holladay, Joanne Royals, Jane Norris, James Robertson, Cherry Corbin, Virginia Kelsoe, Mickey Herring, Wilfred Barry, Lavon Bass, Jerry Bream, Joel Parker, John Schlechter, and Geraldine Bailey.

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## Big Time

Now is the time for all good weeklies to jump to the aid of the voters.

Our method is not to try to influence voters (the shining example of Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry Truman being re-elected with 90 per cent of the press against them is enough to convince us), but to get the voters thinking.

So we herewith invite any candidates or any of our campaign-minded readers to express themselves in our columns, from now to election day.

If you have a bone to pick with a candidate, put the facts in writing and we'll give your letter space. If you have good reason to support a candidate, let us know about it so the rest of our readers can share the information.

By this invitation to use our columns, we hope that Glades voters will be better ready to get out to the polls on Election Day and vote their convictions, exercising one of the greatest rights of free Americans.

## WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

By Sen. George Smathers

WASHINGTON: A friend from Florida wrote to ask why I was spending so much time and energy in the fight it has fallen my lot to lead against the Hawaii and Alaska statehood bill.

"They are so far away from Florida," said the letter, "that I don't think your efforts will mean much to the people down here."

My correspondent was reminded that many people do appear to be aware of how much this means to them and how irrevocably the statehood step, if taken, will bind these far off places to Florida and other states. The remoteness of these territories is a main issue, and the decision we face is where are the logical boundaries to our union.

Since this fight started, more and more people appear to be re-examining the issue; from Florida and throughout the country come increasingly numerous messages to continue the fight. Resistance in the Senate, which first appeared hopeless, no longer is so. One of encouraging signs appeared where the nationally syndicated columnist Walter Lippman, wrote what we have been saying for months:

"We must remember that statehood is an irrevocable act... once done, it cannot be undone... a state cannot secede... Admission outside existing territories... would mean a radical change in the structure of the union and our external relations... Such a change should be done when the people are listening and have their eyes open... What must be questioned is whether the interests are so nearly identical that they can be fused in the same legislative body."

**SHORT TAKES FROM THE SENATE FLOOR:** Getting help from Senator George in efforts to repeal travel tax in Florida and to Latin America where some countries pay, some don't... Have introduced bills to establish new national cemetery in Florida; encourage vacation influx to Florida ("See America First Week" in June).

## BELLE GLADE GIRLS "SUPERIOR"

BELLE GLADE — Superior, or top, rating was won by 19 members of the Belle Glade high school girls' chorus in the district contest in Miami last Friday and Saturday.

With Miss Marian Najarian directing, the chorus, competing in the tests with a total of 140 contestants, won superior in concert and in sight reading. The group is thus eligible to enter the state contest at Tampa in May.

Winning soloists were Glenda Dell, piano, "A" rating; Alma Ann McClure, piano, "B" rating; Ann Henderson, soprano, "A"; Joanne Hollady, Miss Henderson and Miss McClure, girls' trio, superior. Mrs. E. L. Hollady and Mrs. C. B. McClure were

## CLOSE NAMED TO JOHNS COMMITTEE

BELLE GLADE — Herman L. Close, Belle Glade commissioner, has been named chairman of the Belle Glade committee in the Charley Johns-for-Governor campaign, according to Lloyd Clemmer, county committee chairman.

Following graduation from the University of Florida, Close taught agriculture at Bradenton for two years, then entered military service. On separation as Air Force second lieutenant, Close worked with the Soil Conservation Service at LaBelle for a short time, but returned to Belle Glade in 1948. He is now associated with the Shawano Development Corp. as vice president and general manager. He is president of the Palm Beach County League of Municipalities, Lions Club past president, Elks Lodge 1716, Everglades Legion Post 30, Masonic Lodge 273. He is a member of the Methodist Church.

## VACATION TOPIC FOR LION LUNCH

PAHOKEE — "Places to Vacation" set the Lions Club to dreaming of summer Tuesday, as Benjamin S. Roberts described some ideal vacation spots for Glades residents and their families.

Roberts recommended Mexico City, which provides an economical vacation once the vacationer has arrived; Washington, D. C., especially for those with children 10 years old or older; Williamsburg, Va., "the heart and center of the beginnings of our country," and Florida itself, particularly New Smyrna and Deland, where Florida agriculture got an early start.

Ralph O. Johnson was nominated for the presidency of Lions for the coming year by the nominating committee headed by James Vann. Other nominees were Clyde Canipe, Lewis Friend, and Melvin Spooner, first, second and third vice presidents, respectively. R. J. Schroder, secretary; Albert Snyder, treasurer; A. M. Johnson, Lion Tamer; Bill Moss, tailwister, and Pak Tullis and D. B. Mathis, two-year directors. Election will take place Apr. 13, President Curtis Chase announced.

**CANAL POINT** — The Canal Point Scouts were formally presented Monday with the school bus recently purchased for their use by the Canal Point Lions Club at the weekly dinner meeting of the latter. D. L. Hoke, president, made the presentation following an agreement read by A. R. Harrington, Scoutmaster. P. A. Slonaker accepted the bus, and expressed gratitude of the troop. There were 26 Scouts present for the event.

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BY SCHATZI

**ED. NOTE:** When asked if he had her column ready this week, Schatzi merely waved a paw airily and announced she was suffering from spring fever. She will resume her column next week. (She'd better.)

## HONOR ROLL

### BELLE GLADE

#### JUNIOR HIGH SEVENTH GRADE

Honor Roll

Billy Tom Forsee  
John Lee  
J. D. Michael  
Mary Helen Wheeler  
Honorable Mention  
Frances Fontaine  
Fred Robbins  
Andra Walker

#### EIGHTH GRADE

Honor Roll

Donna Mae Armstrong  
John Baxt  
Richard Baxt  
Molly Forsee  
Brenda Kessler  
Onedra Lanier  
Harold Lynn  
Dolores Robbins  
Johnny Thomas  
Earl Williams  
Randolph Williams  
Honorable Mention  
DeWitt Drea  
Lan Morris

#### HIGH SCHOOL 12th GRADE

Honor With Honors

Suzanne Forsee  
Jane Morris  
Winifred Burry  
Joanne Hollady  
Patsy Hobby  
Curtis Thompson  
Honorable Mention  
Jeanie Royale  
Angelyn Vickery  
Eunice McAllister

#### 11th GRADE

Honor Roll

Connie Perkins  
Joanette Friedheim  
Jeanette Waddell

#### 10th GRADE

Honor With Honors

Janice Cole  
Karen Allison  
George Farnall  
Jo Margaret Parson  
Honorable Mention  
Aileen Hemphill  
James Chalmers  
Lois Engel  
Dorothy Irvin  
Lewis Buckner

#### 9th Grade

Honor With Honors

Alma Ann McClure  
James Thomas Booth  
Kenneth Danks  
Dave Freeman  
Honorable Mention  
Tommy Priest  
Lynn Corbin  
Jeanne Crews  
Lola Anne Binkley

## LOCAL FLORIST

### FIRST AREA FTD

BELLE GLADE — Flowers by Creech, owned by Miss Sara Lee Creech and operated jointly by Miss Creech and Mrs. L. T. Creech, sr., became this week the first florist in the Glades to be accepted for membership in Florist Telegraph Deliver Association Interflora.

FTD, established in 1890 when the first known telegraphic order for flowers was placed, has a rigid set of requirements, its rules for membership show. "Quality, credit, and despatchability are primary factors in screening applicants," Miss Creech said.

## BELLE GLADE GETS ROAD RESURFACING

A Belle Glade road resurfacing project was approved by the County Commission this week and contract for the work was awarded to the Rubin Construction Co., Hialeah.

The job will be resurfacing of Ice Plant Road at Belle Glade, a connecting link between Routes 117 and 15. The Rubin firm was the low bidder. Cost of this and a West Palm Beach resurfacing job approved was listed at \$11,638.

## Iron Curtain - Belle Glade One-Way Trip Is Goal

BELLE GLADE — From behind the Iron Curtain to farm work in Belle Glade is the aim of a German farmer who recently escaped to West Germany with his wife and three children.

A request for "any assistance" in finding work for the 35-year-old man was received this week by Chamber of Commerce Secretary Edwina Young, in a letter from the man's sister-in-law, Ilse Kampfenkel, in Palm Beach.

The woman's sister, brother-in-law and family are living in a refugee camp in West Germany. Many and soon will get their visa to the U.S., she reported. Her brother-in-law, she wrote, is "an agriculturist by profession."

He owned a 120-acre farm in Saxony, Germany until the Russians arrived, and has a "thorough knowledge of all phases of farm work and of the breeding of livestock," his sister-in-law said. He attended the University of Leipzig, and taught agriculture at a technical school there for three years.

Mrs. Young will be glad to provide further information to anyone interested in the man, described as "hard working, does not smoke or drink, and is in good health."

## EVERGLADES MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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### PATIENTS:

Will Hull, Pahokee.  
Mrs. George Webster, Belle Glade.  
Miss Anna Robinson, Chosen.  
Mrs. Mamie Chastain, Canal Point.  
Sevier Walthall, Pahokee, discharged 2-23-54.  
Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop, Pahokee, discharged 3-18-54.  
Mrs. Bobbie Jean Wright, Moore Haven, discharged 3-18-54.  
Mrs. Belle Norman, Belle Glade, discharged 3-18-54.  
Mrs. Catherine Geoli, New York, discharged 3-18-54.  
Curtis Skates, Lake Harbor, discharged 3-20-54.  
Mrs. Mildred Schoepell, Pahokee, discharged 3-20-54.  
Mrs. Mary Herbert, Clewiston.  
Mrs. Joyce Taylor, Pahokee.  
Mrs. Edith Myzetska, Belle Glade.  
Mrs. Margaret Bell, Canal Point.  
W. A. Keen, Pahokee.  
Mrs. Mary Dickson, Pahokee.

### BIRTHS:

Pandora Louise Wright (Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, Moore Haven, 3-17-54).  
William Ray Bishop (Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bishop, Pahokee, 3-16-54).  
John Robert Herbert (Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Herbert, Jr., Clewiston, 3-21-54).  
Jeri Lynne Taylor (Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Taylor, Pahokee, 3-22-54).  
Baby Boy Muzetska (Edith and Joseph Muzetska, Belle Glade, 3-22-54).

### COLORED PATIENTS:

Tommy London, Bryant.  
Ed Jones, Canal Point.  
Vernell Mathis, Pahokee, discharged 3-19-54.  
Clairtha Codrington, Pelican Lake, discharged 3-20-54.  
Jacob Green, Pahokee.  
Doll Dorsey, Pahokee, discharged 3-23-54.  
Hattie Fields, Pahokee, discharged 3-23-54.  
Willie Mae Johnson, Pahokee.  
Marvin Mathis (Vernell and Plaze Mathis, Pahokee, 3-18-54).  
Baby Boy Codrington (Dan and Clairtha Codrington, Pelican Lake, 3-18-54).  
Clar Louise Dorsey (Doll and John Dorsey, Pahokee, 3-21-54).

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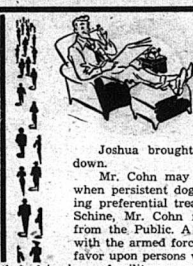
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## ROBBERIES

By

BENJAMIN S. ROBERTS

Joshua brought the walls of Jerico tumbling down.

Mr. Cohn may find that more than walls fall when persistent dogging concerns the Army. Seeking preferential treatment for his co-worker David Schine, Mr. Cohn failed to keep that knowledge from the Public. A Public as intimately concerned with the armed forces as is ours does not look with favor upon persons who avoid or seek to circumvent their fair share of military responsibility.

It would be interesting to know what McCarthy thinks of Cohn, what Schine thinks of him and what the Public reaction will be to this triumvirate.

David Schine is a brilliant, precocious and gifted young man. Somewhere in his rearing the ingredient of responsibility must have been neglected. In the light of publicity he surely denied his fellow trainees, Cohn, in order to test his power, tried to bend the Army to his will for the immediate benefit of Schine, and the ultimate inflation of his own ego. Schine must be wondering why he forfeited his self-respect for others' greed for power.

Senator McCarthy must wonder why he chose such brilliant but brassy young men for his methods.

The walls came tumbling down — right on top of Mr. Cohn.

## PAHOKEE GIRLS BEAT

### POMPANO IN TENNIS

PAHOKEE — The girls' tennis team defeated Pompano 6 to 1 here Tuesday, coming back from a defeat the previous week 4-3 at the hands of Ft. Pierce.

Winners over Pompano were Joan Kautz, Bonnie Meeks, Judy Shackford, and Betty Harrison, singles, and Kautz and Shackford, Meeks and Charlene Stuckey, doubles. Miss Stuckey lost in singles to Sherry Shulze, 6-4, 6-4.

## WILDCAT SESSION

PAHOKEE — John T. Pickett and his survey crew were not quite routed when they surprised a wildcat on a Gladeview Drainage District levee west of Reclamation Project 4 this week.

Pahokians Pickett, Glynn Carr, Charlie Prince and James Brady caught a glimpse of the cat, estimated at 40 lbs., then it disappeared. Then it reappeared. Prince gave ground when he decided he might miss the cat with a machete, and Pickett made a javelin throw with a rod but missed. The cat departed.



# PERSONALS

## PAHOKEE - CANAL POINT

BY MRS JOHN DULANY  
Phone 3781

Mrs. E. J. Graham entertained Mar. 18 at the Graham home for her daughter Melinda on her fifth birthday. A large number of friends were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson of Lyons, Ga. visited their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Davis and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis, West Palm Beach, announce the birth of a daughter, Deborah Jean, Mar. 19. Mrs. Lela Davis is the paternal grandmother of the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Collier Cantonment, announce the birth of a son Monday, Mar. 22. Mrs. Collier is the former Miss Margaret Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson, Pahokee.

Miss Thelma Vann of Sarasota spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Vann and family.

Lewis Collins, student at Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, N. C., is home with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Collins and family during spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Padgett of Miami are visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Moran and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Patton of Middleton, O., who are spending some time in St. Cloud visited Mrs. Elsie P. Corpening and her niece Miss Kay Prock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Holmes, all of Goodwater, Ala., are the guests this week of the latter's daughter, Mrs. W. M. DuBose. They stopped enroute to Pahokee at Gainesville for a visit with Mr. DuBose, who is attending the University of Florida this year. He accompanied them home for a weekend visit.

Mrs. Loretta Grant spent the weekend in Gainesville with her husband who is a student at University of Florida.

Mrs. Kenneth Hitchcock and son Rusty and daughter, Mrs. Billy Rose, all of Tampa, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson and infant daughter Tuesday.

Marvin Thompson visited friends in Gainesville on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Singletary were weekend guests of their nephew and niece in Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. McClelland, and son Dow, of Canal Point, were visitors in Sarasota Saturday.

Jackie Vandegrift, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vandegrift, had her first experience of a train ride this week when she accompanied Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Branch of Pahokee on a trip to visit relatives, including the sons-in-law and daughters of the Branches, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker in Atlanta, Ga. and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Nobles in Tampa; also a stop in Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. Nobles are uncle and aunt of the little girl.

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Principal Clyde W. Alley of Canal Point school attended a principal meeting of elementary principals Wednesday at South Broward high school in Hollywood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Edwards of Brewster, Fla. have been the guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Funderburk and family.

Rep. B. Elliott spoke to the Kiwanis Club at Delray Beach Mar. 18, discussing the need for representation reapportionment in the state legislature. He predicted that further action along these lines would come during the 1955 session of the legislature.

Mrs. B. P. Elliott, Ronald Elliott and Miss Tula Makos returned Sunday night from Jacksonville where they attended the wedding of Miss Stella Lou Todd and Mr. L. A. Louis Cotton. Wayne Elliott, student at Bolles School in Jacksonville, accompanied his mother home to spend several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eustis Blackwell became the parents of Linda Liane, on Monday. Linda is five months old.

Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes had as her guests on the weekend her nephew, Don F. Loper, agent for the American Telephone Co., Madison, Fla., and Mrs. Loper, Mrs. J. F. Martin, Mrs. Hughes' sister, returned to Madison with the Lopers after spending the winter with Mrs. Hughes.

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Mrs. B. L. Starling is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Allred, in Ft. Myers this week. They intended to make several fishing trips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carter had as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morley, of Hendersonville, N.C. and other guests. Mrs. Morley, Hodek of St. Petersburg, who enjoyed a successful fishing trip on Lake Okechobee while here.

George and Jimmy Roselle, students at Georgia School of Technology in Atlanta, visited their parents during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Kennedy plan to spend the weekend with relatives in Bradenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hall and family of Clewiston were the guests Sunday of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hall in Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Phillips have moved into the Farrow apartment on Banyan Ave.

Mrs. R. M. Sanders entertained with a party for her son Michael on his sixth birthday. The event took place at their home Wednesday with many friends attending.

Kathleen Spencer was honored with a party Monday in observance of her 12th birthday. Her mother, Mrs. A. J. Spencer, entertained at their home.

A color scheme of pink and white prevailed throughout the party appointments. A large number of Kathleen's friends were present for the occasion.

Mrs. Carmen Salvatore, jr. is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bloomster and family in Miami this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Crews had as their guests recently her brother - in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Roy Denning of Kissimmee, and their daughters, Mrs. Harold Knight and Mrs. Ed Carter, both of Vero Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Romer of Brigham City, Utah, former Pahokee residents, who have been wintering in Key West, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Crews and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure and other pioneer residents before their return West.

Mrs. Ella Crippen of Dania is reported to be convalescing from an illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hutton, sr. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Lilly of Tampa were the recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Rembert A. Guy.

Mrs. Albert Fremd underwent surgery at St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach.

Dr. and Mrs. Mendal Luce attended a dental convention in Atlanta, Ga. this week.

## SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

BY MRS. JOHN COOPER  
Phone 2529

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goodbread and children returned from Dublin, Ga. last Tuesday night. They visited with Mrs. J. D. Graham while there and visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crow when they came through Summerfield.

Frank Cline, jr. had as a guest last week, his mother, Mrs. F. E. Cline, sr., of Arcadia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Goff from Albany, Ga. left Tuesday afternoon after visiting with his sister, Mrs. A. J. Williams and family. Mrs. Williams' father, W. J. Goff, is visiting with his grandson, Horace Williams, of Immokalee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ross from Sidney, O. spent last weekend with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Jefferies. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Weathers and children spent the day Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jefferies.

Joseph Prevatt had as a guest last week, his daughter, Mrs. James Grant of Naples. He returned to Naples with her for a visit.

Kenneth Warren left last Thursday for Croft, O. where he is taking a 16 weeks' course in welding.

Mrs. Claudia Simmons suffered a heart attack last Tuesday morning and has been in the hospital.

Mrs. W. C. Allen, Ninth district president, paid her official visit to the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 12, in West Palm Beach Monday night. She was accompanied by her secretary, Mrs. Earl York.

Mrs. Jane Allen has returned to school after recovering from illness last week.

Mrs. Maggie Goodbread returned from Quitman, Ga. last Monday night where she visited with her brother, Ernest Yates.

Mrs. R. R. Roadman returned from Terre Haute, Ind. last week where she attended the funeral of her aunt.

Mrs. Camille Devaux from the West Indies is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1954 GLADES OBSERVER — Page 3

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blackwell and son have moved to Orlando. Rev. and Mrs. John Cooper made a trip to West Palm Beach Monday night to visit her father, N. A. Parker, who has been ill since suffering a heart at-

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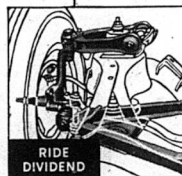
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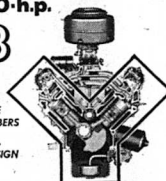
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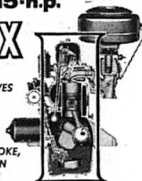
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5:30 The Air	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30
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## PERSONALS

**BELLE GLADE**  
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The Florida National Bank at Belle Glade entertained its employees Friday night with a banquet at the Clevelston Inn and a theatre party. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Livey, Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Rhudy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Ruth Schmier, Mrs. Lydia Beard, Miss Helen Tucker, Johnnie Lowery, Jeannette Hobby, J. F. Wooten, Edward F. Allen and Earl Messer.

J. E. Hollingsworth of near Tampa spent last week visiting his brother, S. L. Hollingsworth and wife they spent a day in Immokalee on a sight seeing trip.

Horace Unwin is a patient in Belle Glade Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Verdine Higginbotham of South Bay is a surgical patient in Belle Glade Memorial Hospital.

Herbert Krueger of Chosen is a patient in Belle Glade Memorial Hospital.

George Wedgworth attended the meeting Friday and Saturday of the Southern section of the American Society of Agriculture and Engineering at Jacksonville.

Mrs. Howard Hill and daughter, Beverly, of Auburn, Ala., where Mr. Hill is attending Alabama Polytechnic Institute, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Kidder and family.

Miss Dorothy Kidder spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kidder. Miss Kidder is attending the University of Florida at Gainesville.

Bobbie Hooker, student at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hooker of Chosen.

A stork shower was given for Mrs. Connie Bowen Monday at the Benevolent Hall. The hos-

esses were Mrs. Catherine Swain, Mrs. Dorothy Carnes, Mrs. Louise Kicklighter and Miss Gloria Crosby. The hall was decorated in spring flowers, ruffled blue crepe paper, baby pictures and toys. Cake, punch, mints and nuts was served to the following guests: Mrs. Tiny Todd, Mrs. Paul Bowen, Mrs. J. A. Carden, Mrs. Betty Jean Meyer, Mrs. Audrey Jones, Mrs. Melvin Herring, Mrs. Hugh Smith, Mrs. Gene Beck, Mrs. Bill Kramer, Mrs. L. E. Will, Mrs. Eloise Smith, Mrs. Robert Edens, Miss Marianne Womack, Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, Mrs. Eddie Clayton, Mrs. Virginia Ellis, Mrs. Alma Hyres, Mrs. Helen Cameron, Mrs. Myrtle Tabit, Mrs. E. A. McCabe, Mrs. Louise Ellis, Mrs. Wendell Lyons, Mrs. Juanita Beardon, Mrs. Sarah Ellis, Mrs. Evelyn Atkinson, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. Grace Smith, Mrs. Charles Greer, Mrs. Kenneth Lockmiller, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. R. H. Swain, Mrs. Floyd Fessenden, Mrs. E. P. Edens, Mrs. James Ball, Mrs. Louise Buckles, Mrs. Jack Miller, Mrs. Carl Cone, Mrs. Gloria Morales, Mrs. C. A. Bailey, Mrs. Bea Barrett, Mrs. Ruth Baron, Mrs. Milton E. Cooper, Jr., Mrs. George Scarborough, Mrs. Douglas Lockhart, Mrs. O. B. Cook, Mrs. Ralph Kirk, Mrs. Malcolm Thames, Mrs. Marvin Smith, Mrs. Uebba Caruthers, Mrs. C. W. McCall, Mrs. Ella Mae Hughes, Mrs. Bill Blackwell. Gifts were also sent by Hilton Bernard, Raymond Morales and Al Bernaldo. Prizes were won by Mrs. Gloria Morales; Mrs. Robert Edens, Mrs. Douglas Lockhart.

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## Belle Glade Beta Sigma Phi Testing Area Students' Hearing

The Belle Glade Beta Sigma Phi sorority this year has undertaken, through the service committee, to have the program of testing the hearing of third grade children in Lake Harbor, South Bay and Belle Glade.

The first attempt of this sort was made last year through the efforts of Mrs. Ruth Timmons, who is a past director of the sorority. This project has been one undertaken in Palm Beach area through the efforts of the Junior League. Members of the sorority were trained by Junior League members in the use of the audiometer that is used in the test. This audiometer last year was loaned to the sorority Junior League. Members of the year it was obtained by the Palm Beach County Health Association.

Three people are required to conduct the test, one to register, one to record results and one to work the audiometer. Last year over 400 students were tested from the first grade through the sixth grades, taking approximately three weeks. This year and hereafter the test will only be given in the third grade and to any student who has been made to the sixth grade who was not tested before. Any child failing to fall within a normal range is retested in a few days to see if a mistake could have been made. If the results are the same, the parents are given written notice of the results of the test and a suggestion made that the child be taken to an ear specialist for further testing.

**Only One Last Year**  
Last year none were found defective in Lake Harbor, and one in South Bay, being the one tested last year. The parents failed to follow through the suggestion that the child be taken to a specialist. No attempt is made by the sorority members to analyze the charts; all they do is to put down their findings and report to the parents if the child falls below normal and suggest that the child be taken to an ear specialist.

To date, they have tested 14 children in Lake Harbor and 32 in South Bay. They expect to finish in the Belle Glade school this week, and then will move into Osceola Camp. Mrs. E. F. McAllister, service chairman for Beta Sigma Phi, is in charge of the project. Others helping are Mrs. O. G. McWhorter, Mrs. Dan Beardsley, Mrs. Lorenzo Connell, Mrs. Basil Cook, Mrs. Edie Kirkman, Mrs. J. E. Jones, Mrs. F. W. C. Jones, Mrs. Douglas Thompson and Mrs. Howard Payne.

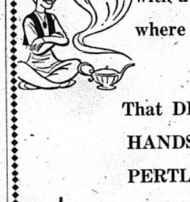
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Was reading the other day about a Maharaja in India who has a miniature electric train all made of silver. Now, maybe that's not unusual for a prince, but this fellow had it running around on an enormous dining table in the royal palace.

The twelve cars on the train are loaded with different kinds of fruits, nuts, and beverages. And the train stops automatically in front of each plate so the person sitting there can choose what he wants.

From where I sit, the Maharaja is really going to extremes to impress his guests. Around this part of the world, hospitality certainly doesn't need all those fancy trimmings.

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## 18 Queens For Fair

BELLE GLADE — Eighteen queen candidates for the Everglades Fair April 1-11 will compete April 3 for the harvest queen title.

Candidates and sponsors include Donna Gail Jensen, Shirley Bros.; Jo Ann Holladay, Belle Glade Rotary; Louise M. Taylor, Wedgworth Produce, Inc.; Montine Doolittle, Belle Glade Lions Club; Mary Frances Perkins, Belle Glade Volunteer Fire Dept.; Jane Webster, Glades Roofing; Marianne Womack, Crew's Community Store; Emily J. Henderson, Southern Bell Telephone; N. A. Campton, Belle Glade Peace Officers Benevolent Association; Sandra Mobley, Florida Foods, Inc.; Norma Jean Royals, Glades Appliances Corp.; Lorraine Kelley, Belle Glade Elks; Mrs. J. G. Abbott, Beta Sigma Phi of Belle Glade; Barbara Ann Moore, Everglades Life Underwriters' Association; Janice Summerlin, South Bay Growers; Susie Dees, Gold-Dorow Theatre.

The Florida National Bank at Belle Glade and Tylanders Inc., Pahokee, have not yet announced their candidates.

Grand opening of the fair will be Thursday at 6 p.m.

## MRS. PLANK NEW S. B. LEGION AUXILIARY HEAD

SOUTH BAY — The American Legion Auxiliary, Post 90, of South Bay, elected new officers Monday night, including: president, Mrs. Winnie Plank, Lake Harbor; first vice president, Mrs. Naomi Wilson, South Bay; second vice president, Mrs. Margie Henderson, South Bay; secretary, Mrs. Mary Lou Rowen, South Bay; treasurer, Mrs. Mamie Henderson, Lake Harbor; chaplain, Mrs. Royne Davis, South Bay; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Billie Hartline, South Bay; assistant sergeant at arms, Mrs. Ida Dee Walker, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Margie Henderson.

The Auxiliary voted to send, and pay expenses of Mrs. Plank to the American Legion state convention at St. Petersburg May 23-27. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Margie Henderson and Mrs. Royne Davis.

## MRS. YOUNG NAMED

BELLE GLADE — Mrs. Edwin C. Young, executive secretary of the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, has been appointed a member of the advertising and tourist development division of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce. She was notified by letter by Earl W. Brown, president of the state organization.

## DUKE NEW ELKS EXALTED RULER

PAHOKEE — Perry Duke is new exalted ruler of Pahokee Elks Lodge 1638, succeeding J. M. Elliott, who has served as exalted ruler the past year.

Other new officers elected include: Bill Moss, esteemed leading knight; Al Lavender, esteemed loyal knight; Arthur Larimore, esteemed lecturing knight; W. H. Buchanan, Tyler; Charles Rice, treasurer; E. A. Jensen, secretary; Elliott, trustee for a five year period, and alternate delegate to the Grand Lodge, and O. R. Blech, trustee for one year.

Appointed were Gene Reed, chaplain; Jack Phillips, inner guard; William Plumer, esquire; Robert Lamp, organist. Installation of the new officers will be conducted next month.

## UNWIN ROTARY HEAD

BELLE GLADE — J. Marwin Unwin was elected president of the Belle Glade Rotary Club for the new year, at the luncheon meeting Friday.

Other officers elected were Robert Lanier, vice president; Benny Weeks, secretary; Charles Bolton, treasurer; Roscoe Braddock and Thomas Bregger, directors.

## GLEE CLUB SINGS THIS SUNDAY

PAHOKEE — The Pahokee high school glee club will present a spring concert Sunday at 3:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The program will range from Bach to Offenbach, with a dash of Elgar and Borghers.

Sopranos include Betty Bush, Carol Carpenter, Carol Cowart, Pat Crady, Mary Ellen Crews, Wilda Davis, Frances Meske, Frances Mills, Beverly Pitts, Arlene Raineri, Linda Sellers, Virginia Stamps, Ina Fay Wade, Charlene Stuckey, alto, Jewel Brady, Valerie Geiger, Betty Harrison, Mary Arthur Kirk, Janet Shiver, Carol Jo Williams, tenors, Pat Elliott, Joe Parker, Donald Pickett, basses, Charles Elliott, Robert Howell, Annette McIntosh is accompanist, and Miss Margaret Powell is director.

**DEADLINE APR. 3**  
PAHOKEE — City Clerk Dorothy Graham this week reminded voters in this area that April 3 is the last day for county registration at City Hall. After that, the books will be available only at the county courthouse. Thus far, since the books have been available here, 51 persons have registered to vote in the county and state elections.

## Council Has Other Work

PAHOKEE — Despite the tandem sessions it had this week in "The Great Debate" on the colored town fire zoning, City Council also transacted other business in Monday and Tuesday night meetings.

Building permit fees were waived for both First Baptist Church's new sanctuary, and the new concrete block church to be built in colored town.

The possibility of a new postmaster for the City Clerk's office came nearer reality with the demonstration of two new machines. Council decided to advertise for bids.

RAISED the rates for the swimming pool, which opens for the summer April 9, to 15 cents for children in order to raise more revenue for the water, which is furnished at a loss;

REHEARD Coach Leland and Coach K. J. Bailey to operate the pool.

REINSTATED Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Baxter on the voting rolls after City Attorney Ralph Johnson questioned Baxter as to the validity of his residence in Pahokee;

HEARD the request of Bud Davis that Elsworth Keen be asked by the City of Pahokee to remove three piles of horse manure from the edge of his pasture near the Davis residence.

HEARD the request of Chief of Police Leon Guthrie that a leak at the southwest corner of the jail roof be repaired, and assented;

HEARD the request of Elmer Upthegrove that city equipment and materials be used to pave the parking space at his store, payable by himself, but were dubious whether the city would have time to undertake such a job for several months.

DECLINED the offer of W. A. Slaughter to have his driver training classes paint new pavement stop signs at intersections, until all road work is completed;

REJECTED a petition for a beer and wine license for Mrs. Everette S. Cunningham, on SW Fourth St.

ASKED the Chief of Police to strictly enforce the use of truck routes, which are plainly marked.

GRANTED the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club request that "something" be done about horse-riding in City Park, and ordered "No Riding" signs put up.

## CARLOADINGS

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Cabbage	22 90	61 314
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Corn	32 136	22 158
Escarole	0 7	37 501
Lettuce	0 0	0 1
Mix. Veg.	12 110	149 1276
Pepper	4 4	5 5
Potatoes	0 4	0 35
Radishes	0 0	0 51
Spinach	0 0	0 3
Romaine	0 0	0 0
TOTALS	122 960	437 4641
LAST SEASON	56000	57521
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## PERSONALS

### BELLE GLADE

MRS. RUSSELL E. TUCKER

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Miss Mary Evelyn Holladay and Bob Whitehead, both of Bradenton, spent the weekend with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Holladay and daughter Joanne.

Dr. and Mrs. Steve R. Johnson and son, Buzzie, spent the weekend with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. K. Smith, Jr. and family.

Mrs. R. E. Lucas of Woodwood, Fla. is spending this week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Hall and daughter.

John Tabit, Mrs. E. A. McCabe, and Mrs. Davis Eichel were hostesses to a luncheon bridge at the Country Club on St. Patrick's Day. There were 12 tables of bridge and two tables of canasta. Mrs. Howard Payne won first prize in bridge. Mrs. Mark Challancin, second prize; Mrs. Luther Jones, third prize; Mrs. Gladys Williams and Mrs. W. W. Weeks won special prizes and Mrs. G. R. Townsend won the lucky number prize. In canasta, Mrs. Joe Murphy won a special prize and the other two prizes were won by Mrs. Thomas Baker and Mrs. C. J. Aspey. Those present were Mrs. C. J. Aspey, Mrs. Zelma Betzner, Mrs. Joe Ziemann, Mrs. Elmer Murphy, Mrs. Elmer Brammer, Mrs. Thomas Baker, Mrs. Tom Dietelre, Mrs. W. W. Weeks, Mrs. Benny Weeks, Mrs. Guy D. Wood, Jr., Mrs. E. C. Bailey, Mrs. Gladys Williams, Mrs. G. R. Townsend, Mrs. Bob Muller, Mrs. R. E. Hotard, Mrs. Frank C. Dooley, Mrs. Robert Cameron, Mrs. Hubert Tillery, Mrs. Mark Challancin, Mrs. Howell Fish, Mrs. Harold Rabin, Mrs. Peter LaChance, Mrs. E. C. Bailey, Mrs. Howard Payne, Mrs. James Ball, Mrs. Garold McKee, Mrs. O. G. McWhorter, Mrs. Charles Fontaine, Mrs. J. R. Faulk, Mrs. Jack Thorne, Mrs. William C. Young, Mrs. W. D. Matthews, Mrs. Thomas Breggar, Mrs. William Rhodes, Mrs. Harold L. Zumph, Mrs. Ray Roth, Mrs. Barnes Smith, Mrs. John W. Hooker, Mrs. E. M. Van Landingham, Mrs. Caspel Thames, Jr., Mrs. H. O. Carlton, Mrs. J. I. Freedlund, Mrs. Floyd Rider, Mrs. Elmer Osking, Mrs. Robert V. Creech, Jr., Mrs. Barnes Creech, Mrs. George Wedgworth, Mrs. Luther Jones, Mrs. Bert Hopson.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Allen attended the Area Council development committee meeting at the Girl Scout office in West Palm Beach Mar. 18. Mrs. Allen is chairman of the Girl Scout Council in Belle Glade.

They were accompanied by Mrs. Fred Sikes and Mrs. Swain of Clewiston.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pierce, Mar. 23, at Belle Glade Memorial Hospital. The baby was named Charles Michael and weighed 7 lbs 7 ozs. Mrs. Pierce was formerly the surgical nurse at the hospital.

### PAHOKEE -

CANAL POINT

BY MRS. JOHN DULANY

Phone 3761

Attending a meeting of the Clewiston chapter of OES Monday night to honor Mrs. Stella Pirkle of Clewiston, who has been named First in the organization for 25 years were Mrs. Gladys Harrington, Mrs. Ruth Carpenter, Mrs. Dorothea Denton, Mrs. Edna Barrett, Mrs. Rachael Harrington, Mrs. Hulda Wilson, Mrs. Virginia Adams, Mrs. D. W. Young, and Mrs. Fay Abing, who is the mother of the latter. The honoree was awarded a 25 year attendance pin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson announce the birth of a daughter, Deborah Mary, at Everglades Memorial Hospital Tuesday at 5:40 p.m. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Otis Allen; maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott, and maternal grandmother is Mrs. Kenneth Hitchcock, of Tampa.

Sgt. Lee Wroten, stationed at Lake Charles, La., will leave April 21 for 45-day duty in Afghanistan. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Elliott.

Mr. Kenneth Hitchcock, of military duty in California, left Wednesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Batchelor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown have as visitors Rex Rhodes, who is stationed in California with the Air Force, and T. J. Marshall, III, of Vidalia, Ga., also with the Air Force.

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## MRS. WOUTERS RITES WEDNESDAY

PAHOKEE — Funeral services for Mrs. Barbara Giffen Wouters, 85, mother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Vertommen, prominent Pahokee grower, were held Wednesday morning at St. Mark's Catholic Church. Rev. William Holmes offered the requiem mass.

Burial was at Woodlawn Cemetery, West Palm Beach. Pallbearers included Olaf Boe, Hugo Boe, Jimmy Repper, Jack Repper, H. J. Anderson and L. C. Komet. Wedderburn Funeral Home was in charge.

Mrs. Wouters came to Pahokee from Belgium in 1921. She lived on Barfield Highway until recent months when her health was failing, and has been living with Mrs. Vertommen since that time.

She leaves three sons, Maurice and George Vertommen, of Belgium, and Edward of St. Clair, Mich.; two sisters, in Belgium; three grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

FISHING CONTEST TO END WEDNESDAY

Glades residents or visitors have just a few more days to win the Belle Glade Jaycee-C of C Bass Fishing Contest, which ends Wednesday, Mar. 31.

Top man to date to catch the biggest fish is Randall Cobb, of Belle Glade, who pulled in a 7 1/2 lb. bass Jan. 31.

Thus far, 139 registrants have their fish in the competition at Slim's camp. V. F. Oglesby, of Etwin, Ill. is the only one who has won two weekly prizes.

P. Halbrook of Home Hardware, Belle Glade, donated Oglesby's second prize, a reel.

## NOTICE

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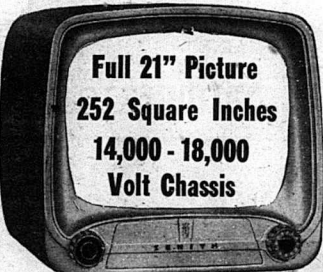
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# ZONING —

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strong. Armstrong several weeks ago proposed to Council that he would tear down the old eyewall on Lake Ave. if he were permitted to use some of the salvage to construct a duplex in colored town.

Present fire zoning regulations require future construction in the business area of colored town to be of concrete block or other fireproof material. Armstrong proposed to use asbestos siding on his projected building, which would be located directly in the fire zone.

If he were permitted to build this structure, he told Council, he would use the income from that to help pay for a new business building for purposes to put on the site of the razed building on Lake Ave.

At its Monday night session, Council could come to no agreement on whether to modify its fire zoning ordinance to permit Armstrong's construction, so another meeting took place Tuesday night.

## Property Owners There

Wiley Tillis, builder of one of the two newest razed structures in colored town, and Mrs. C. C. Sanders who owns property there, were present for the second meeting.

The following exchange ensued:

TILLIS: "Without a shadow of a doubt, progress has been made in colored town in these few years. . . I'm seriously doubtful that if you change these restrictions you will see any results. I think you'll find that you lower this restriction it will be for someone who sees an advantage for building. . . who wants to move in an old building, or something like that. . ."

MRS. SANDERS: "With all due respect to Mr. Tillis, he made his money in the baking business and can afford to spend it on that kind of (concrete block) building, while the rest of us made it as we could on farming and such. . . He has a very wrong attitude. . ."

ARMSTRONG: "I have owned 45 houses with 45 families. None of them can afford to live in Mr. Tillis' place. I think we need more housing for those who don't make such big wages. Four-room houses that rent for \$5-a week is what they want. . ."

## Wilkinson's Views

Wilkinson said "There are houses in colored town that rent for \$5 a week unfurnished, and they're pretty rugged."

Later he added that if there is to be a change in the fire or building zoning, "I don't want to change for one particular problem or every time we come up here change to suit this problem or that problem."

Otto Bleech, who told Council that so far as fire insurance went, an asbestos shingled house is classed as a frame building, suggested that council meet with the Negroes, to get their point of view, and make next Monday's meeting a combined session of all groups concerned with zoning and planning.

City Clerk Dorothy Graham listed the members as follows: Board of Appeals, Bleech and Frank Rozelle; Zoning, R. M. Sanders, Jack Phillips, Victor Geiger; Planning Board, Geiger, George Mead, J. M. Elliott, and Mrs. Frank Friend.

# BG ACTS —

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the cutoff in water, garbage, and trash service after bills have been due 10 days.

The Commission heard a report of two complaints on utility service. One complaint from City Manager Tom Carle, Jitneys, according to complaints, have been operating outside their assigned routes as that police picked up one violator, who was convicted in municipal court, and another violator spotted by police following him and abandoned his jitting off his route in the parking house district.

The Commission unanimously voted that benefactor any jitting caught operating off its route would have its license revoked immediately.

Cab drivers, many of whom were present at the meeting, were directed to work out a definite operating schedule with the city manager to be presented at the next commission meeting.

The Commission postponed the referendum on fluoridation until the September election, following City Attorney Claude Jones' report that County Attorney Harry Johnston said the proposed fluoridation election on May 4 could not be put on the regular ballot and must be held 50 feet from the regular voting place.

In other action, the Commission:

REFUSED to grant a request that Sunday dances be allowed at 223 SW Fifth St.;

GRANTED transfer of a certificate of convenience of taxicab operation from Josephus Brown to Robert Thomas;

APPROVED the request of the city manager to alter City Hall office space for the central cashier, adding to counter space at an estimated cost of \$500;

APPROVED a resolution granting the Jaycees exclusive rights to use advertising on city park benches if they are maintained by the Jaycees, and subject to approval of the city manager;

PASSED the signing of the large power agreement between the City of Belle Glade for its city buildings, and the Florida Power & Light Co.

Commissioner Z. T. Ingram warned Commissioners that something would have to be done about city dump. He said Fritz Stein had reported that the smoke from the dump was driving away residents of his quarters, and that Stein would get an injunction to stop the smoke unless the city took steps to correct the nuisance.

At a special meeting last week, the Commissioners considered the problem of setback and authorized the city manager and city attorney to review the setbacks on all streets and clarify the situation. An apparent shortage at several points will result in bottlenecks on new sidewalks if any remedy is not found, the Commission reported.

SOUTH BAY — The Lions club held their weekly business meeting last Thursday night at Legion Hall. Supper was served by Mrs. O'Neil Walker and Mrs. H. H. Walker.

# GLADES —

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mole drains.

Twenty years ago, the county had 7,825 telephones; it now has 50,447, or an increase of 550 per cent. Approximately 12.6 telephones served every 100 people then. This figure has increased to 39.8 telephones per 100 population at the present time, Reddy said.

He added that telephone service in Palm Beach County is one of the fastest growing sections of the nation. While it has taken the Bell System 10 years to double its number of telephones, here in Palm Beach County we have more than doubled our telephone numbers in seven years," the manager said.

A large percentage of the gain in the past 20 years has been in the use of World War II. To meet this demand for service, the company has spent \$13,582,000 in Palm Beach County since 1946 for new telephone facilities, as part of a Florida-wide \$100,000,000 construction program. Gross construction in Florida for 1954 will approximate \$40,500,000.

Additional equipment will be installed this year in all nine of the Southern Bell exchanges serving Palm Beach County. Incidentally, throughout the nation the average investment per individual residence line telephone in 1940 was \$265. In 1953 the cost was more than \$400," announced Reddy.

## New Booster Cable

Bell Telephone Company construction forces have begun work on a second coaxial cable equipped with a new type of amplifier or "booster," which will parallel the existing cable between West Palm Beach and Miami when installation is completed later this year. The new amplifying equipment, known as "L-3," was developed by Bell Telephone Laboratories. It can carry more television programs and long distance telephone conversations than older types of equipment, according to Reddy.

One pair of coaxial tubes fully equipped with L-3 can carry either 1,800 telephone conversations or 600 telephone conversations plus a television program in each direction. The new cable will contain eight such tubes. Cost of this project is about \$12 million dollars.

"Many people ask me if all this money for expansion comes from profits," Reddy said. "It does not, and we would like for the public to understand better where it does come from. Actually, profits and surplus which the entire Southern Bell has accumulated in its 75-year history would pay for about one-third of the construction program in the city of Miami since the end of the war. We have spent over \$100,000,000 in Florida since 1946. We will spend over \$40,000,000 in Florida this year. This money does not come from profits or earnings. It comes from investors who buy company stocks and bonds. It is only through money loaned to us (bonds or investments) that we can construct new buildings, cables, switchboards, and dial offices."

# WEDDINGS

## FOUNTAIN — JOWERS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson Fountain, Pahokee, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Jean Fountain, of Atlanta, Ga., to Lt. Quintin Allen Jowers, Fort Benning, Ga., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jowers, Jr. of Williston, S.C.

The wedding took place Saturday, Mar. 13, in the main chapel of Fort Benning, Army, with Col. L. D. Sheffield, chaplain, officiating at the double ring ceremony. The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, D. P. Butler of Columbus, Ga., wore a white satin gown of ballerina length, with a veil of English illusion, and carried an arm bouquet of white flowers. She was attended as matron of honor by her sister, Mrs. D. F. Butler of Columbus.

Lt. Jowers' best man was Lt. Samuel R. Ray of Columbus, and ushers were Lt. Jim Koon and Lt. Bill Brum of Fort Benning. A reception followed immediately after the ceremony, at the officers club lounge.

The bride was graduated from Pitts, Ga. high school and studied commercial subjects in Atlanta, where she is employed as secretary with Sinclair Refining Co.

Lt. Jowers expects to receive his honorable discharge April 19 and the bridal couple plan to make their home in Williston, S.C. where he will be a member of the high school faculty teaching agriculture.

## HUMBLE — WOODS

Announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Thelma Humble, daughter of Mrs. Ruby Chaney, Pahokee, to Herman Woods, Homestead, has been made by her mother.

The single ring ceremony took place at Folkston, Ga., Sunday, Mar. 21, at 4:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. William C. DeLoach, Jr., and Mrs. Wood's son, Andy Humble, were present for the marriage.

The bridal couple will make their home in Homestead where he has a machine shop business.

## PTA COUNTY COUNCIL

### DISCUSSES POLIO

SOUTH BAY — The County Council PTA meeting was held recently at the South Bay school auditorium. The topic of discussion was polio and its prevention.

The group went to the Legion Hall for dinner, which was served by Mrs. Royne Davis, Mrs. Pallen Morris, Mrs. June Rogers, Mrs. Ethel Martin, Mrs. H. B. Walker, Mrs. Bessie Smith, and Mrs. Floyd Wilder.

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"THE BEAST FROM 20,000 FATHOMS"  
Paul Christian  
Paula Raymond

Tues. & Wed. Mar. 30-31  
"BELLES ON THEIR TOES"  
Technicolor  
Jeanne Crain  
Myrna Loy  
Debra Page

Thurs. & Fri. Apr. 1-2  
"MAN BEHIND THE GUN"  
Color by Technicolor  
Randolph Scott

## Lake Drive-In

Fri. & Sat. Mar. 26-27  
\*TWO BIG FEATURES\*  
"UNTAMED FRONTIER"  
Technicolor  
Scott Brady  
Shelly Winters  
plus  
"ENCHANTED FOREST"  
Edmund Lowe

Sun. Mon. Tues. Mar. 28, 29, 30  
\*TWO BIG FEATURES\*  
"FAST COMPANY"  
Howard Keel  
Polly Bergen  
Marjorie Main  
plus  
"CARBINE WILLIAMS"  
James Stewart  
Wed. & Thurs. Mar. 31-Apr. 1  
\*TWO BIG FEATURES\*  
"FLESH AND FURY"  
Tony Curtis  
Jan Sterling  
plus  
"BONZO GOES TO COLLEGE"  
Maureen O'Sullivan  
Edmund Gwenn

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